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Sommario/riassunto	The border between the United States and Mexico, despite attempts at containment, remains a vast and uniquely malleable yet indefinable region. With <i>Border Culture</i> , Ilan Stavans has collected essays representative of the tangled experiences and issues central to life between cultures. Divided into two sections, <i>Border Culture</i> covers topics essential to better understanding this often misunderstood

region and state-of-mind. The first section, "Considerations," culls essays covering socio-economic and political topics illustrating the hyper reality of life and living on La Frontera. Sectio
